

### Reason Baby Delivered Cesarean: Baby Having Problems\*

Of women who answered "Cesarean" to Question 56 (How was your baby delivered: Vaginally or Cesarean)

2012 Maine Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System Survey Results

Demographic Groups	Population	No		Yes	
		%	CI	%	CI
<b>Total</b>	<b>3,326</b>	<b>85.0</b>	<b>78.5 - 89.8</b>	<b>15.0</b>	<b>10.2 - 21.5</b>
<b>Age</b>					
<20 years	168	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
20-24 years	615	87.6	68.8 - 95.8	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
25-34 years	1,980	87.5	79.6 - 92.6	12.6	7.4 - 20.4
35+ years	561	73.7	53.2 - 87.4	26.3	12.6 - 46.8
<b>Mother's Race</b>					
White	3,201	85.3	78.7 - 90.1	14.7	9.9 - 21.3
Black	42	#	# - #	#	# - #
Other	82	0.0	0.0 - 0.0	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
<b>Hispanic Origin</b>					
No	3,240^	84.7	78.1 - 89.6	15.3	10.4 - 22.0
Yes	84^	#	# - #	#	# - #
<b>Education</b>					
< High School	289	77.3	45.4 - 93.3	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
High School	947	85.4	71.3 - 93.2	14.6	6.8 - 28.8
> High School	2,055	85.6	77.5 - 91.2	14.4	8.8 - 22.5
<b>Marital Status</b>					
Married	1,897	85.7	77.0 - 91.4	14.3	8.6 - 23.0
Not Married	1,427	84.1	72.8 - 91.2	15.9	8.8 - 27.2
<b>Income</b>					
\$14,999 or less	1,008**	80.3	65.3 - 89.8	19.7	10.2 - 34.7
\$15,000-24,999	475**	80.6	60.3 - 91.9	19.4	8.1 - 39.8
\$25,000-49,999	773**	91.9	78.8 - 97.2	0.0	0.0 - 0.0
\$50,000 or more	963**	85.2	72.2 - 92.7	14.8	7.3 - 27.9

Enrolled in WIC						
No	1,809**	86.4	77.8 - 92.1	13.6	7.9 - 22.2	
Yes	1,461**	82.6	71.2 - 90.1	17.4	9.9 - 28.8	
Enrolled in MaineCare/Medicaid						
No	1,438**	87.5	77.9 - 93.3	12.5	6.7 - 22.2	
Yes	1,886**	83.0	73.4 - 89.7	17.0	10.3 - 26.6	
Infant's birth weight						
<2500 grams	331	73.1	65.9 - 79.3	26.9	20.8 - 34.1	
2500 grams or more	2,994	86.3	78.9 - 91.4	13.7	8.6 - 21.1	

**NOTES:**

Population size for groups giving birth in Maine are taken from the Maine Vital Statistics System unless otherwise noted.  
Unknowns are excluded from all tabulations.

\* *Survey Question 57: What was the reason that your new baby was born by cesarean delivery (c-section)?*

*The fetal monitor showed that my baby was having problems during labor*

\*\* Estimates of the population size for this group giving birth in Maine are made through PRAMS.

^ Estimate of Hispanic population giving birth in Maine is taken from the 2012 birth file.

# There were fewer than 10 survey respondents to this question. Data may be unreliable for describing this group, therefore percent is not reported.

CI = 95% Confidence Interval